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Mr. Yeager was born at Travelers Rest (now Bartow) June 22, 1830. At the outbreak of the Civil War he volunteered in the Confederate army and at the skirmish around Camp Bartow he was taken prisoner and sent to Camp Chase. Later he was transferred to the prison at Rock Island, Illinois. On his return after being released from prison he found his house and all his property burned. Not a fence was left standing on the place and he stated that the situation almost made him feel as though he would have to give up. Seeing a bright future ahead of him he began life anew. Lumber was hard to get and he bought an old house at Greenbank and moved it to his place where from the lumber thus obtained he built a new house. In a few years he became one of the most prosperous farmers in the county. In the year 1857 he married Margaret Bible, a daughter of Jacob and Sallie Bible. She preceded her husband to the grave by about four years. To Mr. and Mrs. Yeager there were born six children, two sons and four daughters—Mrs. Harper McLaughlin, of Bath county, Va.; Mrs. C. E. Pritchard, of Dunmore; Mrs. Henry Fleener, deceased; Mrs. Dyer Gam and Willie J. Yeager, of Bartow; and Charles A. Yeager, of Marlinton.

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U. S. prisoners.....	
Total.....	

DISCHARGED.

State prisoners, expiration of sentence.....	
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State prisoners	37
U. S. prisoners	19
Total	56
DISCHARGED	
State prisoners, expiration of sentence	13
Parole	3
Conditional pardon	2
U. S. prisoners, expiration of sentence	9
Total	37
Net increase	25
Prison population November 1,	1,220;
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Gave Kisses for Good Measure.

At Sandusky, Ohio, recently, Justice Garley, of Milan, was relieved of the puzzling question of the relative value of Thanksgiving turkeys, chickens and kisses, when James Dalsell, a poultry dealer, pleaded guilty to an assault charge, preferred by Mrs. Esther Norton, and was fined \$10. Mrs. Norton, who is pretty, claimed that Dalsell exchanged

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Recorder—H. H. Hiner.
For Counselor—Dr. J. M. Yeager, J. W. Hunter, Geo. T. Eakin, S. C. McNeil and N. W. Nickell.

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Everything that is usually undertaken on Texas farms will be attempted by this Adamless colony, truck farming, fruit raising, bee keeping, dairying, poultry raising, and other kindred farm and ranch pursuits.

Dies Boasting of Good Health.

Having just remarked to friends that he had never felt better since he left the river on which he ran for years as a steamboat steward, Edward Steller, aged 73, fell dead of heart trouble at Louisville, Ky., November 27. He had just taken a glass of beer and had started toward the door, when he cried out with pain and fell.